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Government of Jammu & Kashmir Office of the Chairperson, District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA)/District Magistrate, Jammu Wazarat Road Jammu-180001 (J&K)-India

<u>ORDER</u>

Subject:Compulsory registration for COVID-19 sampling by road travelers immediately on arrival at district boundary checkpoints

- 1. Whereas vide Govt. Order No. 60-JK (DMRRR) of 2020 Dated 07-06-2020 the COVID -19 sampling and testing of all travelers arriving at the UT of J&K, has been made compulsory, followed by Administrative quarantine (except exempted categories) till the test results turn negative.
- 2. Whereas the Air and Train passengers are being sampled immediately on their arrival at the Jammu Airport and Jammu Tawi Railway Station respectively.
- 3. Whereas the road travelers are sampled at Government Medical College, Jammu, Government Hospital, Gandhi Nagar, and through mobile sampling Van, if they have travelled from any location outside the Jammu province.
- 4. Whereas the road travelers arriving from outside Jammu division are required to get themselves registered at the checkpoints set up at Ban Toll Plaza and Purmandal Morh, for their registration before entering the district.
- 5. Whereas it has been reported that many road travelers arriving from outside the Jammu division are skipping the registration and mandatory sampling, testing and administrative quarantine process.
- 6. Now, therefore, I, Sushma Chauhan, IAS, District Magistrate and Chairperson District Disaster Management Authority, Jammu, vide powers conferred upon me under section 34 of Disaster Management

Act, 2005 do hereby order that all road travelers shall get themselves registered at the above mentioned checkpoints and make themselves available at the appointed time and location for sampling and testing, without mingling with any other person. Any violation of the above directions shall result in: -

- a) Registration of FIR u/s 188 of Indian Penal Code;
- b) Initiation of punitive action under section 51 of National Disaster Management Act, 2005, which provides for imprisonment up to 1 year, or fine, or both.

BY ORDER

(Sushma Chauhan) IAS Chairperson, Management Authority,

Sustina Chandan

District Disaster Management Authority, (District Magistrate)

Jammu

No: DCJ/PS/2020-2021/954-959

Dated: 17/07/2020

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- 3. Director NHM J&K for information.
- 4. Sr. Superintendent of Police, Jammu for information and necessary action.
- 5. Director Information, J&K for information and vide publicity.
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